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For : **METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR REGULATING CHARGING OF  
ELECTROCHEMICAL CELLS**

Re: Request for Certificate of Correction

Consideration has been given your request for the issuance of a certificate of correction for the above-identified patent under the provisions of Rules 1.322 and 1.323.

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